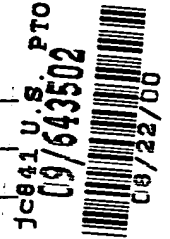




## PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTERAtty./Agent Docket No.: CM03704H C01Mailing Date: August 22, 2000Express Mail Label No.: EK414665806USAssistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53 (b) is a Nonprovisional Utility Patent Application:  
     New Application; or  X   Continuation; or      Divisional, or      Continuation-in-Part (CIP) Application of prior US application No. 08/957,095, filed on October 24, 1997, having US Examiner Pham, B., in Group Art Unit 2731; of

Inventor(s): Korus, Michael

For (Title): METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING BROADCAST GROUP DATA

This transmittal letter has   2   total pages.

Enclosed are:

  X     4   sheets of drawings, along with  23  pages of specification, claims, and abstract.  
Copies from Parent Application.  X   Oath or Declaration Combined with Power of Attorney (  3   pages)  
     Newly Executed (original or copy)  
  X   Copy from a prior application (if this is a Continuation/Division with no new matter)  
     Statement deleting named inventor(s) in prior application if this is a  
Continuation/Division (See 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).)  
     Consider as the above Statement, Please delete as inventors for this application the  
following inventors named in the prior application:                                      Foreign priority to                                  Patent application having serial number     , and a  
filing date of                                  is hereby claimed under 35 USC 119.  
     A copy of the priority document is included herewith.     An Assignment Transmittal Letter and Assignment of the invention to MOTOROLA, INC.  X   An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS), with  1  page                                  PTO-1449. Copies  
available upon request.  X   Print EFS Inventor Information Sheet(s).  X   Return Receipt Postcard  X   Preliminary Amendment     Please cancel filed claims                                 .     Incorporation by Reference (for Continuation/Division application) The entire disclosure of the  
prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being

part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

\_\_\_\_ Since the present application is based on a prior US application, please amend the specification by adding the following sentence before the first sentence of the specification: "The present application is based on prior US application No. 08/957,095, filed on October 24, 1997, which is hereby incorporated by reference, and priority thereto for common subject matter is hereby claimed."

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## CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CANCELED BY AMENDMENT

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TOTAL CLAIMS	27 - 20 =	7	X \$18	= \$126.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6 - 3 =	3	X \$78	= \$234.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			\$260	= \$ 0.00
			BASIC FEE	= \$ 690.00
			TOTAL FILING FEE	= \$ 1050.00

\_\_\_\_ Applicant hereby petitions pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension of time for response to the outstanding Official Action mailed \_\_\_\_\_. The period for response was previously set to elapse \_\_\_\_\_, and is accordingly hereby extended to \_\_\_\_\_, which is still within the six-month statutory period for response (35 U.S.C. § 133) which elapses \_\_\_\_\_. The reason for this petition is that a Division, Continuation, or CIP is being filed, and it is desired to maintain the present application in pending condition pursuant to 35 USC § 120 through at least the filing of the Division, Continuation, or CIP application. The required Extension Fee established by 37 CFR § 1.17(a) pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 41(a) (8) is:

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